

## Fashion Students Thumbs Down on 'Slinky' Look

"Don't try to be a femme fatale or a slinky siren at the age of 16, and don't wear capri pants even if you have a figure that puts a reigning movie queen to shame."

These are several of the opinions put forth by Marymount College girls who are studying for careers in fashion design and merchandising on the Palos Verdes Estates campus.

In a recent panel discussion on rules for teen-age styles and manners, they stressed strongly that a girl should dress her age, and there's time for mink after she has received her sheepskin.

The ideal costumes for high school and college wear, they feel, are either skirts and blouses or sweaters, or matching separates. There's no place for satins, costume jewelry and spiked heels in the classroom.

For social functions, they advocate one good costume, correctly coordinated, rather than three or four inexpensive ensembles which invariably give the wearer a bargain-basement, thrown-together look.

Constant attention to all phases of grooming is essential, with a minimum of make-up. They suggest a light lipstick, hair done in an uncomplicated manner and pale nail polish. Over-painted 'baby doe' eyes are strictly taboo.

They recommend a diet for better complexions, plenty of rest and a positive attitude in both mind and manner. They believe people are bored with flip teen slang and beatnik trends.

When in doubt about a cos-

tume for an important event, they are all in agreement that a simple black frock with pearls, white gloves and a tiny hat is always the safe solution.



**BEST DRESSED . . .** Sandra Goehring, winner of the Marymount Campus best-dressed title, models a popular college costume. The white cardigan jacket is trimmed in matching pale green of the skirt.

## Homemade Fashions Are Modeled by the Juniors

An evening of fashion and fun was enjoyed by members and guests of the Torrance Junior Woman's Club, Marina District, CFWC, at the Spool and Bobbin show held Wednesday evening at the clubhouse.

All fashions displayed were sewn and modeled by the Juniors. Commentary was done by Mrs. T. J. Burchfield who gave a brief description of each dress, including pattern number, cost and total hours spent on construction. The show reflected the current fashion delight in color by blossoming out in all the latest and most exciting shades. White with jewel-toned accessories was also popular. Playclothes, casual and sports wear were featured. Mother and daughter outfits and all styles of children's wear were displayed. Great interest was shown in a floor-length patio dress and a pencil-slim satin evening gown that had an enormous Japanese "obi" sash.

Mrs. Elgin Logsdon, chairman, stated that the show demonstrated once again that it does not take a great deal of money to be fashionable. The average cost of many of the outfits shown was between three and eight dollars.

On stage, an arch covered with flowers and ivy provided a most effective background as each model was introduced. The tables were decorated with baskets of flowers and flower-covered programs were prepared. Decorations were handled by Mrs. Clayton T. Lilley and her committee. Mmes. Ronald Forestal, Richard Dorothy, Edward Felkel, Richard Oliver and

C. L. Briner. Hostess for the evening was Mrs. B. R. McRee.

Appearing in the show were Mmes. Edward Aiken and daughters Cindy and Sunny, Charles Bennett, Kenneth Boulter and daughter Suzie, Don Carlson, Jack C. Dean, William Faulds and daughters Gayle, Deryl and

Sherri-Lee, Lois Felando, Ed-

ward Felkel and daughter Sharon, Richard Folk, Ronald Forestal and daughter Annette, Donald French and daughters Deborah, Becky and Deanna, W. H. Gardner, J. A. Perry, John M. Stokely and daughters Ruth Ann, Suzanne and Barby, Robert Vroman and daughter Wendy, Deloy Stromme and daughter Janelle, and Louise Warden and daughter Diane. Also modeling were Kathy Crandall, Susan Dorothy, Sandy Lilley, Janet Logsdon and Nancy West, daughters of the club members.

## Guild Paints Nursery

Members of St. Theresa's Guild, newest women's organization at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, began their work program last week by repainting the nursery in the church parish hall.

Meeting at the church before lunch, members of the new guild took paint brushes in hand and redecorated the areas used each Sunday for baby-sitting and child care.

Next regular meeting of the guild has been called for 10 a.m. Friday, May 12, according to Mrs. George Post, president of the group. A work session has been set for next Thursday to assist with plans for a church bazaar, Mrs. Post said.

Membership of the guild is composed of the mothers of small children in the church.

## PTA Annual Convention Emblem Club Lends Aid In Los Angeles May 2-5 to Retarded Children

California Congress of Parents and Teachers 62nd annual convention will meet May 3, 4 and 5, in Los Angeles. The CCPT president, Mrs. C. H. Culbertson of Long Beach will preside at all general sessions to be held in the Shrine Auditorium. Theme of the convention is, "We Open the Door to New Frontiers for Children and Youth."

Anticipating over 5000 delegates from all over the state of California and representing a membership of nearly 1,190,000 the convention committee, headed by Mrs. T. R. French, of Inglewood, have planned programs and conferences to meet the challenge facing today's PTA leaders.

The first official session Wednesday, May 3, will feature Dr. Samuel B. Gould, chancellor of the University of California at Santa Barbara. Dr. Gould has gained a national reputation for his educational ideas and will speak on, "The Citizen and the Educational Frontier."

Mrs. Aaron E. Margulis, of Santa Fe, N. M., and vice president of Region VIII of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers will bring greetings from the National Congress and on Friday, May 5 she will speak to the convention delegates on "The Challenge of Action." Mrs. Margulis is a past president of the New Mexico Congress of Parents and Teachers and has been active in the work of the National Congress since 1952. Region VIII of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers is composed of the states of Arizona, California, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Utah.

Thursday evening's highlight will be Mr. William Winter of San Francisco. A new analyst and foreign correspondent, Mr. Winter will address the delegates on "Modern Youth and the New World."

In addition to Mr. Winter's address, the Mothersingers under the direction of Mrs. Dan Millard, of Reseda, CCPT music chairman will make their annual appearance. The PTA chorus of over 800 voices is always an important event of the state convention.

Appearing at the closing session of the convention on Friday, May 5, will be Dr. Marion D. Hank, of Salt Lake City, Utah. President Hank is one of the General Authorities of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and since 1957 served as a member of the President's Advisory Com-

mittee on America Youth Fitness.

### Men Only

An All-Men's banquet, Thursday, May 4, at the Statler Hilton Hotel in Los Angeles has been arranged exclusively for men delegates to the California Congress of Parents and Teachers State Convention. Teachers, administrators and local PTA leaders will hear Stary Gange, of Visalia, speak on "Tomorrow Will Be a Busy Day." Mr. Gange is well known for his humorous and inspirational talks. A stimulating and entertaining evening seems assured according to Mr. Richard M. Clowes, Associate Superintendent of Public Instruction, Sacramento, who will introduce the speaker. Assisting in the planning is, Alton Scott, First District, Men's Participation Chairman and an administrator in the Arcadia Unified School District.

## P T A

### 223rd Street

An interesting program was presented by Mrs. Eddie Grijalva, program chairman, at the last meeting of 223rd St. School PTA on last Tuesday, April 11. Lower grade teachers Mmes. Davis, Potter, and Debra presented a panel from each of their classrooms showing parents how manuscript writing is taught from kindergarten through third grade. Mrs. Smith, music teacher, presented a group of children in a type of classroom music lesson.

Mothers of third grade children served as hostess for the afternoon, and books were given as awards to Miss Traumbfelder and Mrs. Coffey for the best classroom representation by parents. Plans were made to send Mrs. James Nash, president-elect, to the state PTA convention in Los Angeles in May. Several new members were welcomed by Mrs. R. C. Heitmeier, president, who announced that the June PTA association meeting will be held on June 9, at 7:30 p.m. A musical program will be presented at this meeting by Mrs. Smith and her music class.

Approximately 150 parents and children attended the safety demonstration held last Friday, April 15, under the direction of 223rd St. School faculty and Los Angeles County Sheriff's department.

Gardena Emblem Club is looking forward to their next business meeting, May 4, as a representative from the Gardena Valley Association for Mentally Retarded Children will address the members and give a brief talk on this most important project which will have training classes for those children who have been rejected by other organized programs.

Gardena Emblem Club, on the motion of the club's new Welfare Chairman Mrs. Marvin Knapp, voted to adopt part of the school's need as one of their main philanthropies for the coming year. A new folding bed, mattress and linens have already been supplied by the club and twenty-two cobbler aprons are in the process of being made to be worn when the children are painting.

Mrs. Erwin Popp, president, Mrs. Al Luchsinger, Mrs. James Allgood, and Mrs. Richard Keenan, along with the club's new Welfare chairman, Mrs. Marvin Knapp, attended the dedication of the school on April 22.

The Club also donated \$25 to the Exceptional Children's Opportunity School and \$15 to the Red Cross. A baby bed

was donated to a young mother and groceries and shoes to another needy family. An elderly lady in the General Hospital was supplied three pints of blood by members.

Emblem ladies attending the California-Nevada State Association of Emblem Clubs convention in Sacramento from April 26 to 29 are Mmes. Erwin Popp, Mae Francis, Al Zehring, Richard Keenan, Marvin Knapp, Vera Kelly, William Cloud and James Allgood. Those competing in the bowling contest will be Mmes. George Haines, Danny Brown, Erwin Popp and Lucille Ketchum. Lucille Ketchum is a chairman for the bowling activities at the convention.

The Club's next social event will be the Annual Birthday Dinner. This year's theme will be "The Lucky Seven."

### Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Herrera of Torrance celebrated their 28th wedding anniversary with a group of friends and relatives at an elegant buffet dinner in the Presidential Suite of the Plush Horse Inn.

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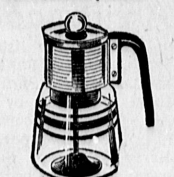
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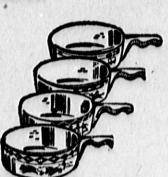
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